



CERTIFICATE OF MAILING

HEREBY CERTIFY THAT THIS CORRESPONDENCE IS BEING DEPOSITED WITH THE UNITED STATES POSTAL SERVICE AS FIRST-CLASS MAIL IN AN ENVELOPE ADDRESSED TO: ASSISTANT COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS, WASHINGTON, D.C. 20231, ON JUNE 28, 2001

Marianne H Michel
AGENT/ATTORNEY FOR APPLICANT

June 28, 2001
DATE

1638 \$
#10
EOT
1/10/01

RECEIVED

JUL 10 2001

TECH CENTER 1600/2900

Attorney Docket No. 1109

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant: Tao et al. Date: June 28, 2001

Serial No.: 09/496,444 Group Art Unit: 1638

Filed February 2, 2000 Examiner: C. Collins

For: "Cell Cycle Polynucleotides, Polypeptides and Uses Thereof"

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

TRANSMITTAL – AMENDMENT

Applicant(s) hereby petition for an extension of time for response from the date of the Examiner's action as needed, the fee being as follows:

<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	one month extension	\$ 110.00
<input type="checkbox"/>	two months extension	\$ 390.00
<input type="checkbox"/>	three months extension	\$ 890.00
<input type="checkbox"/>	four months extension (not beyond statutory time period)	\$1,390.00

Charge \$110.00 to Deposit Account No. 16-1852 for this extension of time. Two copies of this form are enclosed.

Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.

Fee Calculation for Amended Claims

The fee is calculated as shown below:

07/09/2001 FGERERH1 00000099 161852 09496444
01 FB:115 110.00 CH

Serial No. 09/496,444
Group Art Unit: 1638

	Col 1		Col 2	Col 3	Other than a small entity	
	Claims Remaining After Amendment		Highest Number Previously Paid For	Present Extra	Rate	Additional Fee
Total	49	Minus	63	=	x 18 =	\$0.00
Indep	3	Minus	6	=	x 80 =	0.00
<input type="checkbox"/> First presentation of Multiple Dependent Claim				+ 270 =		
					Total	\$0.00

The "Highest Number Previously Paid For" (Total or Independent) is the highest number found from the equivalent box in Col. 1 of a prior amendment or the number of claims originally filed.

- No additional fee is required for the amendment(s).
- Charge \$ for this amendment to Deposit Account No. 16-1852.
Two copies of this form are enclosed.

Please charge any additional fees under 37 CFR 1.16 or 1.17 which may be required by this paper, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 16-1852. Also, should the Patent and Trademark Office determine that the fee calculated in the above extension petition is not deemed sufficient to have this response considered as being timely filed, this constitutes a petition for extension of time for the minimum period to effect timely filing, and the Commissioner is authorized to debit any necessary fee to said deposit account.

Respectfully submitted,

Marianne H Michel
Marianne H. Michel
Attorney for Applicant(s)
Registration No. 35,286

PIONEER HI-BRED INTERNATIONAL, INC.
Corporate Intellectual Property
7100 N.W. 62nd Avenue
P.O. Box 1000
Johnston, Iowa 50131-1000
Phone: (515) 334-4467
Facsimile: (515) 334-6883